

EXHIBIT 2

GENL-19 REV (04/08) VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

NEW YORK STATE POLICE

VOLUNTARY STATEMENTCOUNTY OF MADISON
VILLAGE OF CHITTENANGOSTATEMENT START TIME: 4:27 ☐ AM ☒ PM
DATED: DECEMBER 28, 2013

I, RYAN M. MAHER, AGE: 27 AND BORN ON: ██████86, AND RESIDING AT: ██████
██████ CHITTENANGO NY 13037, HAVE BEEN ADVISED BY: INVESTIGATOR
ANDREW D. WILMOT, OF THE NEW YORK STATE POLICE, OF THE FOLLOWING:

RM I HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN SILENT AND I DO NOT HAVE TO MAKE ANY
STATEMENT IF I DO NOT WANT TO.

RM IF I GIVE UP THAT RIGHT, ANYTHING I DO SAY CAN AND WILL BE USED AGAINST
ME IN A COURT OF LAW.

RM I HAVE THE RIGHT TO HAVE A LAWYER PRESENT BEFORE MAKING ANY
STATEMENT OR AT ANY TIME DURING THIS STATEMENT.

RM IF I SHOULD DECIDE THAT I DO WANT A LAWYER AND CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE
ONE, A LAWYER WILL BE APPOINTED FOR ME FREE OF CHARGE AND I MAY
HAVE THAT LAWYER PRESENT BEFORE MAKING ANY STATEMENT.

RM I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE THE RIGHT TO STOP AT ANY TIME DURING
THIS STATEMENT AND REMAIN SILENT AND HAVE A LAWYER PRESENT.

RM I FULLY UNDERSTAND THESE RIGHTS AND AT THIS TIME, I AGREE TO GIVE UP MY RIGHTS
AND MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT;

Andrew D. Wilmot
WITNESS

Ryan M. Maher
RYAN M. MAHER

It is 4:27 PM on December 28, 2013, and I am at the New York State Police satellite office in the Town of Sullivan talking with Investigator Andrew D. Wilmot about sexual allegations involving a 5-year-old girl I know to be M. ██████ V. ██████. I currently reside at ██████ in the Village of Chittenango with M. ██████'s mother, Christina Verne, and her parents, Ken and Barbara Verne. I have been read Miranda Warnings by Investigator Wilmot and I understand that I may have an attorney with me while I am being questioned and while I am giving this statement. I have told Investigator Wilmot that I do not want an attorney and that I would like to talk with him about the events that have lead up to me being here today.

Earlier today, Investigator Wilmot stopped by my grandparents house at ██████ in the Town of Cicero and asked me to come with him to talk about the allegations. I was already aware from

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talking with M. [REDACTED] mother and grandfather that M. [REDACTED] said she had seen my penis. Investigator Wilmot has made me aware that there is an allegation that I had asked M. [REDACTED] to touch my penis as well. M. [REDACTED] has seen my penis, but she has never touched it. I would estimate that M. [REDACTED] has seen my penis about four times. Three of those four times I was in the bathroom peeing and one of those times I was in the bathroom masturbating when she walked in. All four of those incidents occurred at Ken's house where I had been staying since the beginning of October 2013. The last time M. [REDACTED] walked in the bathroom to find me masturbating was this past Sunday. I was in an upstairs bathroom when she walked in as I was in the process of ejaculating. I turned away as quickly as I could but she still saw what I was doing. Again, at no time did M. [REDACTED] touch my penis and I don't know why she would say otherwise. Investigator Wilmot has also made me aware that M. [REDACTED] said I like to play the picture game with her in which I would take pictures of her without her clothes on. I have never taken a picture of M. [REDACTED] without her clothes on. The only thing I can think of regarding that is M. [REDACTED] was talking about pictures that I show her on my Playstation 3. I have been asked by Investigator Wilmot if I would give the State Police my permission for a complete search of my cellular telephone and my Playstation 3 for this investigation. My cellular telephone is a Samsung SCH-S738C and the number assigned to me thru Straight Talk is 315-200-8503. My Playstation 3 is located in my bedroom at my grandparents' house on [REDACTED] Road. I have voluntarily signed two consent forms granting my permission for those searches to be conducted. Everything I've told Investigator Wilmot is the truth and I know it's a crime to lie to the police in a written statement. - (END OF STATEMENT)

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Penal Law § 210.45 – IN A WRITTEN INSTRUMENT, ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY MAKES A FALSE STATEMENT WHICH SUCH PERSON DOES NOT BELIEVE TO BE TRUE HAS COMMITTED A CRIME UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK PUNISHABLE AS A CLASS A MISDEMEANOR.

AFFIRMED UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

 This 28 day of DECEMBER, 2013.

OR

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME

This _____ day of _____ MONTH, 2008.

SIGNATURE OF DEPONENT, RYAN M. MAHER

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

STATEMENT END TIME: 6:40 ☐ AM ☒ PM6:15